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Christmas Hosiery 3 pair to box. Per box, \$1.00 to \$4.50

#### Struck Hand That Befriended.

In Esopian fables a viper was warm ed back into life at a farmer's hearth stone. In return, the snake attempted to poison its befriender to death with he venom of its bite, and the farmer was forced to kill the ingrate.

In the local police court history a chapter has just been written that Prim Weeks, an Indian, out of the kindness of his heart, took a white man by right hand of fellowship and broth erly love, paid for his meals and took him into his lodging to give him shel-

Again the Esopian fable!

The white snake bit the Indian hand that, extended in friendliness, had warmed and fed it, by disappearing and taking with him \$60, all the worldly goods that his benefactor had. And the Indian was turned out into the cold world without food and without shel-

The police are "working on the use," and it may be that this boodling Bedonin of manhood may be pun-ished by the law of the land. But what panishment is severe enough to reach this ingrate; this wretch, who was picked out of the gutter and warned by the fire of the redman's charity. He is the spawn of that shameless breed that casts its offspring to be mothered by the doorstep. Why, the dirtiest and most ignorant Indian who ins learned the great lesson of charity is a nobleman, an angel of light, com-pared to this worm, engendered in and fattening on the broken meats of char

#### BORN. .

HALL-At Pendleton, to the wife of Rev. G. LeRoy Hall December 14, a

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS.

Medford, Or., Dec. 15.
Scaled proposals will be received by the City Recorder of Medford, Oregon, until 5 o'clock p. m. December 21, 1908, for painting street signs.

All hids must be submitted on the printed forms furnished by the city re

All labor and material to be done All labor and material to be done and furnished strictly in necordance with the specifications on file in the office of the city recorder and to the satisfaction of the city engineer.

TTY TREASURER'S NOTICE. Office of City Treasurer, Medford

Oregon, Dec. 15th, 1908. Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the city freasury for the re-demption of all outstanding warrants issued against the light and water fund, and all outstanding warrants issued against Sewer Dist. No. 6, protested September and October, 1908, and Nos. 13 to 23, inclusive, protested November 10th, 1908.

Interest on the came will ceose after the above date.

L. L. JACOBS,

Prepaid Railroad Orders.

"Something which is of considerable interest to the public generally and which is perhaps not generally known is the system of prepaid orders now in effect between stations of the Southern Pacific company and all points in the United States. By means of this system tickets may be purchased at Medford from any place in the United States and mailed or telegraphed direct to the party wishing to come here. Sleeper amodations and small amounts of each in connection with these tickets may also be forwarded at the same

#### KING MANUEL MAY WED DAUGHTER OF THE KAISER

BERLIN. Dec. 15.—The announces ment is made that negotiations between the courts of Lisbon and Potsdam upon a family matter are in progress. King Manuel has in his short reign careed golden opinions, while Princess Voctoria Lenias, only daughter of the German competor and empress, is the win some ided of her parents, whose bringing up would make her an ideal wife. The business meeting at the known of Miss Anna Heckert has Wedness is in her 17th year.

Was driving to his brother's rameh, and preasant in round numbers, therefore, the cost will be substantially \$27,500,000. The estimate as to the cost of the ruise does not include charges that could reasonably be put to the main tenuare account. To make the cost appear just as it should each ship's prearing at its should each ship's prearing partition of the whole expense should be shown, which would probably run of Miss Anna Heckert has Wedness day evening. A goodly strid crowd of fleet constitutes nearly two-thirds of young people were present and after

### Social and Personal Classified Advertisements

Ed Swinden of this city was a re visitor on Kane's Creek,

E. J. Stevens of Kanes Creek was H. C. Bonny was painfully injured

by two horses in a mixup in the Nash stables Monday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will meet this evening with Mrs. II. Garnett.

Floyd Scott, the 6 year old son of Thomas Scott, narrowly escaped being run over by a beavy dray Monday eve He was knocked down and bruised; but escaped serious injury.

S. C. Collins and wife of Sams Val-ey were recent Medford visitors. William Eaton was fined \$25 and Andrew Baker \$5 by Recorder Collins Monday for being druck Sunday.

C. W. Palin is back from a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. M. E. Tryer has left for Burke's matarium near Santa Rosa, Cal., where

she expects to remain for some time.

Charlie Tarpin was greeting friends a Medfard Monday. Mrs. A. M. Woodford is back from visit with her sister in Merlin. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Purkerson bave

Medford Monday on business, John Rader of Eagle Point was in

Medford Monday on business. F. G. Newman, a local attorney, was in Jacksonville on professional business

Tuesday.

appear before the grand jury in the case of the state vs. Jackson, assault and battery. He was accompanied byb Attor iev Kelly. Miss Grace Henry, who has been ex

moved for some weeks by Colonel Munlay, has returned to Jacksonville. Dr. J. M. Keene was a Jacksonville isitor Monday.

Thomas Nichols of Eagle Point was a Medford Monday on his way to Jack

List land with Benson Investment Co., Over the Bijon Theater. Get in your orders early and avoid the rush at the M. & B. Candy kitch-

Hot popeors and reasted pennuts at the M. & B. Candy Kitchen. ial orchard. Benson Investment Co.

over Bijon Theater, 259
Do you want to build a bome! Do ou want to speculate? If you desire wanted a doubt of the speculate? If you desire wanted a doubt of the speculate of the spe

West Medford. There'll be something doing in Mer-

Mr. and Mrs. Moos of Cleveland, On

#### BOY'S HEAD BLOWN OFF

VALLEJO, Cal., Dec. 1a.—treng Collins, a 17-year-old boy, was found foday two and a half miles west of and that the maintenance charge on account of the auxiliaries is not less account of the auxiliaries will be Vallejo with the top of his head blown off. Fifty feet away was his hat with than \$5,000,000. a part of the skull in it. Young Collins were for substant ff. Fifty feet away was his hat with than \$5,000,000. The ships will be part of the skull in it. Young Collins can driving to his brother's ranch, and cears. In round numbers, therefore, the

FOR SALE-Invalid chair; used but very few times. Mrs. Cooley, 24 B street. 236 FOR RENT-Rooms for light house keeping. See Mrs. Joe Thomas, Holly street. 231

FOR SALE—Five and ten acre tracts within and adjoining city limits, at a bargain on long time, Address P. O. Box 418, Medford, Or. 248

FOR SALE-A good small business on Seventh street. Reasons for selling. Address, P. O. box 512 or call at this office. tf FOR RENT—House keeping rooms, Ap-ply at southeast corner of C and Ninth

tion, stock, implements and household goods to exchange for residence in Medford or Talent. Ben A. Lowell, Wooslville, Or. 231 streets.

FOR SALE-First class blacksmith and

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Purkerson have returned to their home in Eugene after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown of this city.

S. A. Pattison of Central Point was in Medford on business Monday.
George P. Lindley was in Jackson ville to answer summons as a juryman.
H. D. Barneburg of Ashland was in Medford Monday on business.

MANTED—You are ambitious and possess at least an average amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. Therefore, we want you and will pop you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy. You are ambitious and possess at least an inverage amount of the and perseverance. you and will pey you \$75 a month for taking only four orders a doy, You can earn a bug income. We furnish all supplies free, Write today to Man ager, P. O. Box 1150, New York (lity.

#### WANTED.

George Putnam visited Jacksonville to LOST—Jersey cow, 2 years old, cream pipear before the grand jury in the case colored, with horns, no mark or brand. A. M. Helms, Medford.

WANTED-Experienced waitress and

WANTED—Horses to board by the sell at a law proce.

month. Plenty of good, clean hay, good

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WANTED—I desire family washing to do. I go to the house and wash by the day. Prices reasonable; satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. M. F. Schnenfele, Medford, Or. Box 2A, boute No. 1 250

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Mare for a REDDING, Cal., Dec. 15.-W. H.

Roseburg, Or.

The ideal holiday candies. King & Phoenix, or in tracts to suit from one years, ong.

231 are to 640 ares. Matt Calbon Phoe acre to 640 acres. Matt Calhoun, Phoe-

numate of \$4,454,500, submitted to con- to find him, and it was then learn that Special attention paid to fancy box gross by the savy department, to cover to find him, and it was then learn that gross by the savy department, to cover to find him, and it was then learn that gross by the savy department, to cover the had passed away. He apparently requires to be made to several ships during the usual taffy sale at King & Long's.

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\*\*Johnson's Best Plour, \$1.35 Mc comparison with the cost of the only known living relative is a sister. In Oakhandg or Berkelsy.

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VALLEJO, Cal., Dec. 15.—George accompanying them. Careful estimates caused profound sorrow, the property of the property of the control of th

### Medford TimeTable

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Northbound Southbound No. 15 California Express. . 10:35 a.m. No. 13 San Francisco Exp. . 3:20 p. m. No. 225 From Grants Pass.... 9:15 p. m. No. 225 For Ashland...... 10:15 p. m.

PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY No. 1 Leaves Medford . . . . . | 8:10 n. m No. 3 Leaves Medford No. 2 Arrives Medford...... 10:28 a. m No. 4 Arrives Medford...... 5:08 p. m

ROGUE RIVER VALLEY RAILWAY No. 2 Leaves Medford . . . . . | 10:45 a. m. No. 4 Leaves Medford.... Motor Leaves Medford.... 5:35 p. m. 2:00 p. m. . | 9:00 p. m. . | 9:00 n. m. 

MAIL CLOSES

Eagle Point ..... 7:20 2:00 Jacksonville . . . . . . . . . . . . . [10:20] 5:20

the state constitution making it possi-ble for timber land owners to exercise the right of eminent domain. When the legislature acts and the amendment is an accomplished fact, the small holder of timber land will always be able to get his logs or lumber out to the market across the holdings of others. The new laws will make it impossible for the corporations owning great tracts entire chambermaid at Franco-American hotel, Yreka, Cal. 230 refusing the latter the right to crass

month. Plenty of good, clean hay, good warm barn; terms \$6 per month. No horses taken for less than one month. Walter Moore, Phoenix. 250 what is good for Washington is good for California, and it is to be hoped that our own people will take steps to protect "the little fellow" in the fight for legitimate profits.

#### AWAY AT HIS HOME

fresh cow. Write W. G. Gordon, Med-ford, R. F. D., or call mile and half sens of Shash county was found dead south of Medford, old Hoxie place, 232 zens of Shastn county, was found dead

Bickford was a resident of Redding and a pioneer of Shasta county. He 232 FOR SALE-Houses, lots and land in tinuously ever since. He was aged came here in 1849 and lived here con

He was around the streets as usua Mr. and Mrs. Mose of Caveland, Or have arrived in Musford with the expectation of locating Mr. Moss is the uncle of Mrs. II. II. Lorimer. This makes 15 people that Mr. Lorimer has indicated to try their fortunes in the Rogue River valley.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—On the top in the was to appear in a case in the land office at 10 o'clock this morning, but stands the modern battleship. The estimate of \$4,454,500, submitted to contain the modern to the battle find him, and it was then learn that last night and took supper at the ho

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BY REPEATING SHOTGUN
TV's 16 buildogs and the auxiliaries enemies and the news of his death

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ter Bartlett Pears. CHERRIES-Lambert, Royal Anne. PEACH STOCK—Muir, Elberta, Ear v and Late Crawford, Salway, Foster,

Early Charlotte.
A full line of APPLE TREES of all leading varieties. L. B. WARNER,

Oakdale Avenue

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Cnotinging their policy of giving he public the best, the management of the Louvre cafe have succeeded in em ploving T. Brigoli, a chef with an ex tensive reputation on the Pacific coast, who will in the future look after their culinary department.

Mr. Brigoli has been employed in

some of the finest cafes and hotels in the country, and Medford will have the benefit of the chef's experience.

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Net Saving in 1000 hours in favor of the Tungsten Lamp

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